CLAIMS

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- 1. A slide controller for an audio mixer, in which a slide may be shifted along a limited path in a slot-shaped opening in a front plate, characterized in that an illuminable element is provided which extends along the opening.
 - 2. A device as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the illuminable element appears as a luminous strip when looking onto the front plate.
 - 3. Device as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the illuminable element is connected to a light conductor and is connected to a light source.
 - 4. A device as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the light source may emit multi-colored light.
 - 5. A device as claimed in claim 1, characterized that a light emitting diode is provided as light source.
- 6. A device as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the illuminable element is connected to a selector key through a light conductor and a light source.
 - 7. A device as claimed in claim 3, characterized in that the light conductor is arranged at the front plate.
 - 8. A device as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the light source is arranged on a printed circuit board.
- 9. A device as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that the selector key is provided for selecting at least one function, and that the light source is controlled such that a predetermined color for the light from the light source is associated to the respective function.

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- 10. A device as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that one selector key each is provided for one function and that an independent color for the light from the illuminable element is provided for each function.
- 11. A device as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the illuminable element is provided in the opening.